

Remarks

Claims 1, and 13 through 20 remain pending in this case. Claims 1, 13, 14, 15, and 17 have each been currently amended. Claims 2 through 12 have been canceled.

5 Claims 1 through 20 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112 as being indefinite. The Examiner advised as to terminology in the claims that he objected to. The remaining claims as now presented have been amended where necessary to eliminate any indefiniteness identified by the Examiner. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the rejection under 35 U.S.C. be removed.

10 The Examiner advised that "Claim 12 would be allowable if rewritten to overcome the rejection(s) under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, set forth in this Office Action and to include all of the limitations of the base claims and any intervening claims. Dependent Claims 13-20 would then be allowable." Applicant has currently amended Claim 1 to now include all of the limitations of Claims 5 and 12. Accordingly, Claim 1 (currently amended) is representative of Claim 12 in independent form. As a result, Claim 1 (currently amended)
15 is in condition for allowance.

Claim 13 has been currently amended to insure that it meets all of the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 112 including proper antecedent basis for being dependent from Claim 1. Claims 14, 15, and 17 have each been currently amended to now be dependent from Claim 1

(currently amended). Claims 13 through 20 are each ultimately dependent from Claim 1

(currently amended). Accordingly, these claims are now in condition for allowance.

Applicant urges that the claims as now presented are in condition for allowance. It is respectfully requested that the claims be allowed, and the case passed to issue.

5 If any issues remain, the undersigned respectfully requests the Examiner to telephone to discuss the same, to permit any such issue to be resolved via Examiner's Amendment.

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